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NCO Receives Air Force Cross

WASHINGTON - Sgt. Theodore R. Hamlin of Malmstrom AFB. Mont., joined a select group recently when he received the Air Force Cross from Lt. Gen. Austin J. Russell, Assistant Vice-Chief of Staff, during ceremonies at the Pentagon.

Sergeant Hamlin was cited for extraordinary heroism against an opposing armed force in Vietnam as a radio operator Oct. 25, 1969.

Already hit, the sergeant exposed himself to enemy gunfire to guide a medical evacuation helicopter to pick up seven badly wounded soldiers, His coolness was credited with the seven receiving quick medical attention which prevented a loss of life.

A total of 160 Air Force members have been awarded the Air Force

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL WASHINGTON - Brig. Gen Richard M.

SILVER STAR

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KINGSLEY — Maj. James G. Mont (also
Distinguished Fiying Cross, Air Medal)
LEGION OF MERIT
ANDERSEN — Brig. Gen. Leo C, Lewis
CHANUTE — Col. Frank W. Hansley.
CHARLESTON — Col. Charles P. Henze.
DYESS — Col. Peter P. Blackley.
ENT — Brig. Gen. William E. Gernert, Col
Donald H. King.
SCOTT — Col. Paper P. Frank Franklick

SCOTI - Cols. Robert R Evans Frederick

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SHEPPARD --- Col. William H. Breeze
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DOVER - Maj. Franklin E Capts, James H. Froderick, Joseph W. Chan DYESS — Capts, Virgil W. Field, Dennis R. Hamlin, TSgt, Biltz R. Engler, KEESLER — May Sanuel F, Smith III.

REESLEY -- Maj. Samuel F. Smith III.
KINGSLEY -- Maj. Roger A. Gomas.
PEASE -- Maj. Roger P. Lewis (also Air
Medal), Capts James C. Searcy (also Air
Medal), Frederick G. Griffith (also Air Med

RAMEY — Capts James S Sturtevant,
Charles C. Jordan III.
YOKOTA — Capt. Warren J Saul.
BEONZE STAR
ALCONBURY — CMSgt. William R Scar-

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DYESS — Maj. Eugene C. Matteson.

ENT — Lt. Col. Clarence L. Oliver.

KEESLER — Maj. Thomas C. Lynch. SSqt. Jimmie B. Shook.

LACKLAND — SMSgt. Earl E. Schrenk,
MSgt. Clarence O. Snyder, TSgt. Billy J. Say-

LAREDO - Capt John F Barton Jr , MSgr

Howard L. Haimm SHEPPARD — Capt Quinton E Jones YOKOTA — MSgis. Stanley J. Polkowski, Benjamin E. Garner, SSgis. David McMillan, Thomas Sopolsky.

MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL KEESLER --- Capt. Charles W. Fowler, 15gt

James L. Bruce.

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FAIRCHILD - Capt, Robert W. Bradley PEASE — MSgt Leo G. Babler.

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Sgts. David R. Burbank, Harold E. Walker,
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Young, Sgts. Donald R. Day, Richard V. Elwelt
Sr., Glen L. King, Alex L. Smith, Allen E.
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MEMBERS of Undergraduate Pilot Training classes at six bases received their wings during recent commencement exercises. The new pilots are:

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Weight, Donald N. Willoughby, John H. Wolaver Ill, Larry T. Worden.
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